

City of Central Falls

Special City Council Meeting

City Hall Council Chambers

Web Address: www.centralfallsri.us

Monday, August 15, 2005

6:45 p.m.

1. Roll Call

2. Pledge of Allegiance

3. Moment of Silence

In memory of the Late Francis X. Garvey former Mayor of the City of Central Falls.

4. Minutes

June 1, 2005; June 20, 2005; June 27, 2005; July 11, 2005.

5. Correspondences

a) Rep. Amy Rice re: Resolution to oppose the Development of State Open Space Land in the Big River Management Area.

b) Walmartwatch re: Government policies relating to Corporations.

c) United HealthCare: re: Practice related to Blue Cross Blue Shield of Rhode Island.

d) Environment Council of Rhode Island re: Global Warning.

- e) Marchand Family letter of appreciation.**
- f) United Health Care: re: E. Greenwich -decision to select United Health Care.**
- g) City of Providence Resolution re: Support of USS Saratoga Museum Project.**
- h) United States Department of Commerce re: United States Census new American Community Survey.**
- i) Department of Health and Human Services observance of the Month of September as National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month 2005 theme "Join the Voices for Recovery: Healing Lives, Families and Communities."**
- j) Chief Justice Frank J. Williams re: Annual Report on the Rhode Island Judiciary.**
- k) Harry Lefrancois, Chairman Planning Commission re: Proposed Amendment to the Zoning Ordinance.**
- l) Board of Pensions & Retirement re: Battalion Chief Joseph Laurie, CFFD.**
- m) Board of Pensions & Retirement re: Lieutenant Lawrence Newburg, CFFD.**
- n) Board of Pensions & Retirement re: Captain Bruce Ogni, CFPD.**
- o) Board of Pensions & Retirement re: Sgt. James Cruise, CFPD.**
- p) Reverend Anthony Iwuc, Pastor Emeritus-St. Joseph Parish.**
- q) Battalion Chief Joseph Laurie re: Retirement Pension.**
- r) Central Falls Detention Facility Corp. re: Public Notice of Site Investigation-935 High St.**
- s) Department of Education re: 2005 Rhode Island Schools**

Information Works Measuring Rhode Island Schools for Change.

t) Chief Rene Coutu re: Federal Emergency Management Agency Strategy for Reducing Risks from Natural Hazards in Central Falls.

u) Board of Pensions & Retirement recommendations for Retirements of Lt. Newburg CFFD;

Captain Bruce Ogni CFPD; Sgt. James Cruise, CFPD; Battalion Chief Joseph Laurie.

w) John T. Gannon, Esq. Statement of Conflict of Interest pursuant to RIGL36-14-6.

6. Petition

James H. Kaplan, Esq. for Adam's Associates, LLC

Requesting the Approval of the extension of Oakland Street as a Public Way.

7. City Officers Reports

a) Police Report May, June, July 2005

b) Fire Department Report ending 2004

c) City Clerk Report July 2005

d) Municipal Court May, June, July 2005

e) Fire Department Report July 2005

f) Expenditures Report July 2005

g) Code Enforcement May, June, July 2005

8. Executive Session

Pursuant to RIGL 42-45-5(a) confidential matters regarding:

(a) Battalion Chief Joseph Laurie-Represented by Attorney William Murphy

(b) Captain Bruce Ogni-Medical Disability

(c) Lt. Lawrence Newberg-Medical Disability

9. Board of Pensions & Retirement

Board of Pensions & Retirement re: Battalion Chief Joseph Laurie, CFFD.

Board of Pensions & Retirement re: Lieutenant Lawrence Newburg, CFFD.

Board of Pensions & Retirement re: Captain Bruce Ogni, CFPD.

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10. Petition

Narragansett Electric Pole Location Higginson Avenue.

11. Mayor's Comments

12. Licenses

B) Change of Business Location

Faber H. Salazar

d/b/a A Fast Tax Service Inc.

442 Dexter Street

Julia C. Salazar

d/b/a JG World Travel & Financial Services
440 Dexter Street

C) Retail Sales

Byron Juarez
d/b/a Emely Party Store
744 Dexter Street

C) Peddler Licenses

Late Renewal (received 7/28/05)

Anthony Calutti
d/b/a A & T Entertainment

Nicolim Luco (applied 6/29/05)
d/b/a Luca's Coffee & Ice Cream

Richard Clark (applied 7/5/05)
d/b/a Richard Clark's Ice Cream

Personal Service License

Maria E. Denizard
d/b/a La Femme Salon

437 Dexter St.

13. Permits

Bingo Permit Renewal

Forand Manor Tenants Association

30 Washington St.

Bingo Mondays & Wednesdays

Special Event

Hyper Imports

Special Event Car Show

September 11, 2005

Storage America Lot

14. Requested to Appear

Mexicanos Unidos and Fermin Fuentes

**Conflict between two organizations relative to a permit granted to
Mexicanos Unidos**

**For a Mexican Festival and Parade in celebration of their
Independence Day.**

**Mexicanas Unidos granted parade and festival permit by City Council
on June 27, 2005**

Fermin Fuentes requesting permit for same day.

This appearance is at the request of Councilman Ricardo Patino

15. Public Comments

16. Resolutions

(a) Resolution extending the Condolence of the Central Falls City Council to the Family of the Late

**Francis X. Garvey, former Mayor of the City of Central Falls.
Introduced by Council President Weber.**

(b) Resolution extending the Condolence of the Central Falls City Council to the Family of the Late

Catherine Foley. Introduced by Council President Weber.

(c) Resolution extending the Condolence of the Central Falls City Council to the Family of the Late

Bertrand Coutu. Introduced by Councilman William Benson.

(d) Resolution extending the condolences of the Central Falls City Council to the Family of the late

Luz Marina Restrepo. Introduced by Councilman Ricardo Patino.

(e) Resolution Urging the President, the Governor and the United States Congress to maintain current levels of Medicaid eligibility, funding and scope of services and preserve this and protect the health, safety and welfare of the Citizens of Rhode Island.

Introduced by Councilman Patino.

(f) Resolution to the United States Congress opposing Social Security Privatization. Introduced by Councilman Patino.

(g) Resolution adopting the City of Central Falls'Hazard Mitigation Plan. Introduced by Councilman Benson.

(h) Resolution authorizing the City Council President to sign the Firefighters Contract. (Introduced at the request of the Mayor.)

17. Ordinances

Introduction

An Ordinance amending the Central Falls Zoning Ordinance Article II-Non Conformance Section 209.2 Merger of Undersized Lots. (Recommended by the Planning Board and introduced at the request of Mayor Moreau)

Public Hearing/First Passage

An Ordinance Granting Petition of German & Veronica Villa for the Abandonment of a Portion of Bristol Street.

Public Hearing/Final Passage

An Ordinance Consolidating and or Eliminating Certain Governmental Funds.

18. Unfinished Business

19. New Business

20. Adjourn

Interpreters for the Hearing-Impaired available upon 72-hour request made at the Office of the City Clerk.

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